

# OFFICIAL GAZETTE



## GOVERNMENT OF GOA

### EXTRAORDINARY

### No. 3

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Department of Panchayat Raj and  
Community Development

Directorate of Panchayats

#### Notification

34/DP/PAN/ZDF/99

Whereas the draft of the Goa Panchayat Raj (Application of Panchayat Fund and Zilla Panchayat Fund) Rules, 2000, was published as required under sub-section (1) of section 240 of the Goa Panchayat Raj Act, 1994 (Goa Act 14 of 1994), in the Official Gazette, Series I, No. 52 dated 23rd March, 2000, under Notification No. 34/DP/PAN/ZDF/99 dated 28-2-2000, of the Department of Panchayati Raj and Community Development, inviting objections and suggestions from all persons likely to be affected there by before the expiry of fifteen days from the date of publication of this Notification in the Official Gazette;

And whereas the said Gazette was made available to the public on 23-3-2000;

And whereas no objections and suggestions have been received from the public on the said draft by the Government:

Now, therefore, in exercise of the powers conferred by sub-section (1) of section 240 of the Goa Panchayat Raj Act, 1994 (Goa Act 14 of 1994), the Government of Goa hereby makes the following rules, namely:—

1. *Short title and commencement.*— (1) These rules may be called the Goa Panchayat Raj (Application of Panchayat Fund and Zilla Panchayat Fund) Rules, 2000.

(2) They shall come into force at once.

2. *Definitions.*— In these rules, unless the context otherwise requires.—

(a) "Act" means the Goa Panchayat Raj Act, 1994 (Goa Act 14 of 1994);

(b) "section" means a section of the Act;

(c) "Panchayat Fund" means the Panchayat Fund constituted under section 161 of the Act;

(d) "Zilla Panchayat Fund" means the Zilla Panchayat Fund constituted under section 166 of the Act;

(e) words and expressions used but are not defined in these rules, shall have the same meaning as assigned to them in the Act.

3. *Restrictions, conditions and limitations on expenditure from the Panchayat Fund or the Zilla Panchayat Fund.*— Subject to the provisions of the Act and the rules made thereunder and such general or special orders as the Government may from time to time make, the village or the Zilla Panchayat, shall incur expenditure out of the Panchayat Fund or the Zilla Panchayat Fund, as the case may be, for which provisions has been made in the budget or funds are obtained by re-appropriation duly approved, on the items specified in column (2) of the Schedule hereto to the extent as specified in the corresponding entries in column (3a) and (4a) of the said schedule:

Provided that no expenditure shall be incurred beyond the amounts specified in column 3(b) of the schedule by the Village Panchayat and column 4(b) of the schedule by the Zilla Panchayat, without the previous sanction of the Zilla Panchayat or the Government, as the case may be.

## SCHEDULE

(See Rule 3)

## (Expenditure to be incurred from Panchayat Fund or Zilla Panchayat Fund)

Sr. No.	Particulars of expenditure	Expenditure that may be incurred by the Village Panchayat	Expenditure that may be incurred by the Village Panchayat with previous sanction of the Zilla Panchayat	Expenditure that may be incurred by the Zilla Panchayat	Expenditure that may be incurred by the Zilla Panchayat with previous sanction of the Govt.
(1)	(2)	3(a)	3(b)	4(a) 4(b)	
(1)	Payment of rent for occupation of building.	Rs. 1000/- per month.	Rs. 5000/- per month.	Rs. 25,000/- per month.	No limit.
(2)	Purchase of furniture.	Rs. 5000/- per annum.	Rs. 50,000/- per annum.	Rs. 50,000/- per annum.	No limit.
(3)	Purchase of Stationery.	Rs. 5000/- per annum.	Rs. 20,000/- per annum.	Rs. 25,000/- per annum.	No limit.
(4)	Expenditure for provisions of tea or light refreshment in the meeting of Panchayat or Zilla Panchayat or Committees thereof.	Rs. 100/- per meeting.	Rs. 2,000/- per meeting.	Rs. 2,000/- per meeting.	Not exceeding Rs. 5,000/- per month.
(5)	Legal charges to the Advocates.	Rs. 500/- in each case subject to a maximum of Rs. 5,000/- per annum to those Panchayats.  Whose income is below one lakh & Rs. 10,000/- whose income exceeds one lakh per annum.	Rs. 500/- in each case subject to a maximum of Rs. 10,000/- per annum.	Rs. 500/- in each case subject to a maximum of Rs. 10,000/- per annum.	Rs. 1,000/- in each case subject to a maximum of Rs. 20,000/- per annum.
(6)	Expenditure in connection with celebration of national festival like Republic Day, Independence day, etc.	Rs. 500/- in each case limited to Rs. 5,000/- per annum.	Rs. 2,500/- in each case limited to Rs. 12,000/- per annum.	Rs. 2,500/- in each case limited to Rs. 12,000/- per annum.	Rs. 5,000/- in each case.
(7)	Expenditure for receptions, presentation for addresses and laying of foundation stones including advertisement.	Rs. 1,000/- in each occasion limited to Rs. 3,000/- per annum.	Rs. 6,000/- in each occasion limited to Rs. 20,000/- per annum.	Rs. 6,000/- in each occasion limited to Rs. 20,000/- per annum.	Rs. 10,000/- in each case limited to Rs. 30,000/- per annum.
(8)	Financial assistance to the families affected by natural calamities like fire, flood, heavy rains, coastal winds, cyclone earthquake, etc.	Maximum Rs. 500/- per family subject to availability of funds in annual budget.	Maximum Rs. 25,000/- per family.	Maximum Rs. 20,000/- per family subject to availability of funds in annual Budget.	Rs. 25,000/- in each case.

(1)	(2)	3(a)	3(b)	4(a)	4(b)
(9)	Grants for reading room and libraries for purchase of newspapers, periodicals and books, etc.	Rs. 1000/- in each case limited to Rs. 10,000/- per annum.	Rs. 3,000/- in each case limited to Rs. 50,000/- per annum.	Rs. 5,000/- in each case limited to Rs. 50,000/- per annum.	No limit.
(10)	Grants to Mahila Mandals and balwadi.	Rs. 500/- per institution limited to Rs. 6,000/- per annum.	Rs. 1,500/- per annum per Institution.	Rs. 2,000/- per annum per Institution.	Rs. 5,000/- per annum per Institution.
(11)	Grants to educational service institution or organisation.	Rs. 1,000/- per annum per Institution.	Rs. 3,000/- per annum per Institution.	Rs. 5,000/- per annum per Institution.	Rs. 10,000/- per annum per Institution.
(12)	Awarding prizes to crop competition, sport competition, etc.	Not exceeding Rs. 5,000/- per annum.	Rs. 15,000/- per annum.	Not exceeding Rs. 25,000/- per annum.	Not exceeding Rs. 50,000/- per annum.
(13)	Contribution to exhibitions conference or seminars training camps workshop within or outside the Jurisdiction of P. R. I.	Rs. 500/- in each case limited to Rs. 10,000/- per annum.	Rs. 2,000/- in each case limited to Rs. 20,000/- per annum.	Rs. 5,000/- in each case limited to Rs. 30,000/- per annum.	Not exceeding Rs. 5,000/- in each case limited to Rs. 50,000/- per annum.
(14)	Donations to registered Clubs, societies, etc.	Not exceeding Rs. 5000/- per annum.	Not exceeding Rs. 15,000/- per annum.	Not exceeding Rs. 20,000/- per annum.	Not exceeding Rs. 25,000/- per annum.
(15)	Payment of wages to the labourer engaged for immediate development work.	Not exceeding the rates fixed by the Government for skilledworkers/ /labourer limited to Rs. 5,000/- per annum.	Not exceeding Rs. 100/- per labourer limited to Rs. 15,000/- per annum.	Not exceeding Rs. 100/- per labourer limited to Rs. 20,000/- per annum.	—
(16)	Advertisement on greetings, etc.	Rs. 2,000/- per annum.	Rs. 8,000/- per annum.	Rs. 10,000/- per annum.	Rs. 15,000/- per annum.
(17)	Purchase of Electrical goods.	Rs. 10,000/- per annum to those Panchayats whose income is below one lakh and Rs. 25,000/- whose income exceeds one lakh per annum.	—	—	No limit.
(18)	Purchase of pesticides/ /germicides for sanitation cleanliness.	Rs. 10,000/- per annum to those Panchayats whose income is below one lakh and Rs. 25,000/- whose income exceeds one lakh per annum.	—	—	No limit.

By order and in the name of the Governor of Goa.

G. G. Kambli, Director of Panchayat and Ex-Officio Joint Secretary.

Panaji, 27th July, 2000.